

Second Sunday of Easter (Sunday of Divine Mercy)

Mass Intentions

If you would like a Mass offered for a special intention, please contact the Parish Office at office@sma.church.
+Indicates Deceased+

Saturday, April 26

Saturday within the Octave of Easter

8:00am: Steve Darling

5:00pm: Roy Howell

Sunday, April 27

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9:00am: Donors of the Restoration of the St. Andrew Painting

11:30am: Pro Populo

Monday, April 28

Optional Memorials of St. Peter Chanel, Priest and Martyr; St. Louis Grignion de Montfort, Priest

No Morning Mass

Tuesday, April 29

Memorial of St. Catherine of Siena, Virgin and Doctor of the Church

8:00am: Steve Darling

Wednesday, April 30

Optional Memorial of St. Pius V, Pope

8:00am: +Repose of the Soul of Pope Francis+

Thursday, May 1

Optional Memorial of St. Joseph the Worker

8:00am: Claudine Davis

Friday, May 2

Memorial of St. Athanasius, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

8:00am: +Louise Makison+

Saturday, May 3

Feast of Sts. Philip and James, Apostles

8:00am: Priest's Intention

5:00pm: +Dorothea Smith+

Ministry Volunteer Reminders.

The Ministry Schedule for Greeters, Lectors, Extraordinary Ministers, Altar Servers, Safety Teams and Ushers for the period May 1 – July 31 has been posted on "Ministry Scheduler Pro." Ministry volunteers are kindly asked to review the schedule.

It is very helpful for volunteers to please use "Ministry Scheduler Pro" to request a substitute if you are unable to serve in a time slot for which you are scheduled. Using "Ministry Scheduler Pro" to ask for substitutes improves the likelihood that all ministry positions will be filled before Mass begins. Please send any questions to bulletin@sma.church.

Parking Code

For free parking in the city garage during Sunday Mass, please scan this barcode in the parking kiosk.

Parish News

Formal Installation of Our Pastor

Father Thomas Miles will be installed as Pastor of St. Mary of the Annunciation on Sunday, April 27th during the 11:30am Mass. Bishop Jacques Fabre-Jeune, CS will officiate.

A reception will follow Mass in the Parish Hall.

First Communion

First Communion will take place on April 27th at the 9am Mass.. Please Pray for our First Communicants as they receive Our Eucharistic Lord for the first time.

Ministry Volunteers Needed at 11:30am Masses

There are several 11:30am Sunday Masses between May 4 and and July 27 that have open positions for Greeters, Lectors, Extraordinary Ministers and Ushers. Volunteers in these Ministries that may happen to attend the 11:30am Mass are kindly asked to check with the clergy before Mass so that those positions can be filled.

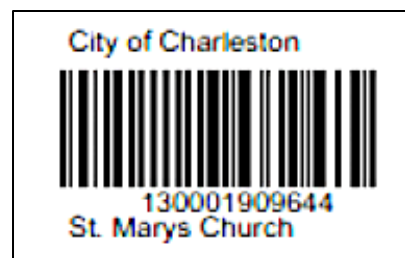
Counters Needed

The Parish Office is looking to add counters for the Offertory Collection. For more information, and to volunteer, please call the Parish Office at 843.722.7696 or via email at office@sma.church.

The Charleston Catholic School

Our Fifth-Grade students visited the Huck Finn School in Awendaw, SC for a hands-on lesson about World War II. The field trip began with a history lesson from Mr. Bronco, whose relatives fought in World War II. Mr. Then the students learned about the transformation of technology in WWII through a blacksmith demonstration.

The students then went to the outdoor workshop where they forged K-bars from wood and learned about the different types of weaponry used during WWII. Finally, the day ended with a version of Capture the Flag where the teams had to strategically work together to save a "downed pilot" without getting captured.



Notes of Interest

The Holy Name Society, in conjunction with the Ladies Altar Society, announces the annual Spaghetti/Pasta dinner on May 16 from 5:00pm - 9:00pm. The Parish Hall will be your favorite Italian restaurant that evening. The spaghetti sauce is homemade from "Nonna's Sunday Sauce" recipe. Along with a selection of salads and desserts, dinner is complete. Additionally, for dinner on the 16th and/or drop-in and take it home, you may opt to pre-order either 11-layer lasagna or penne pasta with sweet Italian sausage and chard.

The silent auction needs some additional items. You can reach John Pauldine at john@johnpauldine.com or Barbara Ankersen at barbara.ankersen@att.net for more information.

Please see the flyer with details in the Bulletin and in the vestibule of the Church.

Ministry Schedule

	Greeters	Lectors	Extraordinary Ministers	Altar Servers	Safety	Usher
April 26 – April 27: Second Sunday of Easter (Sunday of Divine Mercy)						
Saturday 5:00pm	John Gill Mike Savinda	Open-1 st Pete Ward-2 nd	Pete Ward Open	Max Barreira Pippa Taylor Clare Wofford Damian Wofford	Jordan Rock John Gill	Ben Flessas
Sunday 9:00am	James Godefroy Kara Beth Godefroy	First Communion Students Mark Castillo-1 st Cherie Aimar-2 nd	Nicholas Lyden April Cullen Karen Robinson Cliff Moore	Charles Gerken Tolly Gerken Bennett Sease Open	Patrick Dolan Ryan Altenbach	Brandon Hoffman
Sunday 11:30am	Larry Jones Linda Jones	Open Open	Cathy Rosenblum Open	Jack Wohlfeil Joey Wohlfeil Open Open	Marc Oberdorff John Pauldine	John Swanson
Sunday Hospitality: F. Bennett M. Sease M. Lenhardt C. Eiserhardt R. Eiserhardt K. Wall M. Williams M. Arbro						
May 3 – May 4: Third Sunday of Easter						
Saturday 5:00pm	Joseph Koval Susan Koval	Anne Frances Bleecker-1 st Bill Booth-2 nd	Pete Ward Open	Benjamin Coco Landon Coco Molly Gill Sarah Gill	Carl Wohlfeil Jordan Rock	John Swanson
Sunday 9:00am	Anne Condon Billy Condon	Al Stiles-1 st Betsy Cahill-2 nd	Billy Condon Karen Robinson Nicholas Lyden April Cullen	Max Barreira Pippa Taylor Clare Wofford Damian Wofford	Cliff Moore Ryan Altenbach	John Cahill
Sunday 11:30am	Mary Gastley Lee Gastley	Open Open	Cathy Rosenblum Open	Charles Gerken Tolly Gerken Bennett Sease Jane Teegardin Liam Teegarden	Patrick Dolan Open	Ryan Loughran
Sunday Hospitality: A. Dolan A. Cullen L. Frederick R. Pardieck K. Robinson H. Vogel L. Wilard						

Offertory Report

April 19 - April 20	Budget	Variance
Offertory		
In Pew \$ 7,696.75		
Online \$ 3,782.27		
C of C \$ 595.00		
This Week's Total \$ 12,074.02	\$ 8,443.00	\$ 3,631.02
Total Fiscal YTD \$ 358,666.50	\$ 361,956.00	\$ (3,289.50)
Building & Renovation		
In Pew \$ 799.00		
Online \$ 55.05		
Total \$ 854.05	\$ 4,000.00	\$ (3,145.95)
Total Fiscal YTD \$ 52,360.62	\$ 168,000.00	\$ (115,639.38)
Bicentennial Campaign		
	<u>Pledged</u>	<u>Amount Collected</u>
In Pew		
Online \$ 100.00		
Total \$ 100.00	\$ 3,181,437.56	\$ 3,050,718.22
Catholic Appeal of SC		
	<u>Goal</u>	<u>Amount Collected</u>
2025	\$ 25,056.00	\$ 27,335.00

On-Line Giving

Giving online is easy and allows you to schedule contributions and view your complete online giving history. To do so, visit: sma.church/online-giving.html.

Recently, we have received notices from Vanco, our online giving provider, detailing declined transactions because of card expiration, invalid card number or the card issuer declining the transaction. Please review your recent donations for accuracy. Thank you for your generosity in supporting our Church through on-line giving.

Bicentennial Campaign

Total Raised: \$ 3,181,437.56
 Current Amount Collected: \$ 3,050,948.22
 Fulfillment Rate: 96%
 Still To Be Collected: \$ 130,489.34
 Number of Donors: 175

We are continuing the next phase of restoring the church ceiling paintings. To learn more and to pledge or donate on-line, please visit sma.church and click on the "Bicentennial Campaign." Thank you to all who have made pledges. You have helped make all this possible.

Saint Mary of the Annunciation, pray for us!



Second Collection

The Second Collection for this week supports Catholic Home Missions to strengthen the Catholic Church in the United States and its territories in 85 dioceses, funding a wide range of pastoral services, including evangelization, religious education, and the maintenance of mission parishes, the training of seminarians and lay ministers, and ministry with ethnic groups.

The Second Collection for next weekend is for our Building and Renovation Fund. This supports, among other initiatives, the restoration of the paintings on the church ceilings and walls.

, Thank you for your support of the Second Collection.

Catholic Appeal for South Carolina

By answering Christ's Call to carry forth His mission and be good stewards, supporters of the Catholic Appeal are lighting the way for our Church to remain ever-present across South Carolina. Let us go forward sharing the sweetness of the Gospel and ensuring hope and support for all who seek it.

The Diocesan goal for 2025 is \$5,000,000. The goal for St. Mary of the Annunciation for 2025 is \$25,056.

Housebound?

Going into the Hospital?

If you or your loved one would like to receive the Anointing of the Sick or Holy Eucharist, please contact Father Thomas Miles at 843-261-0453. Your contact is the only way we will know you are in need.

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 For help with food, electric & water bills, medical & prescription costs, rent, transportation, and clothing.
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